

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	CRIMINAL NO. 04 -
v.	:	DATE FILED: _____
PEDRO DeJESUS SOTO-ARIAS	:	VIOLATIONS: 8 U.S.C. §§ 1326(a), (b)(2) (reentry after deportation - 1 count) Notice of prior conviction

INDICTMENT

COUNT ONE

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

On or about February 23, 2004, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania and elsewhere, defendant

PEDRO DeJESUS SOTO-ARIAS,

an alien and a subject of the Dominican Republic, who previously had been deported from the United States on or about February 11, 1998, was found in the United States, having knowingly and unlawfully reentered the United States without first applying to the Attorney General of the United States or his successor, the Secretary for Homeland Security (Title 6, United States Code, Sections 202(3), (4) and 557), for permission to reapply for admission, and without receiving in response the express consent of the Attorney General or his successor to reapply for admission.

In violation of Title 8, United States Code, Sections 1326(a), (b)(2).

NOTICE OF PRIOR CONVICTION

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

Defendant PEDRO DeJESUS SOTO-ARIAS committed the offense charged in Count 1 of this Indictment after having been convicted in the Court of Common Pleas, County of Monroe, Pennsylvania, of an aggravated felony, that is, possession with intent to deliver marijuana, in violation of Pennsylvania Criminal Code, Title 35, Sections 780-113(a)(16) and (30), Case No. 799-1999, and possession with intent to deliver cocaine, in violation of Pennsylvania Criminal Code, Title 35, Sections 780-113(a)(16) and (30), Case No. 800-1991.

FOREPERSON

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